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COLUMBIA'S BUILDING PROGRESSES RAPIDLY

Work on Three New Structures Downtown Keeps Contractors Busy.

LOCAL LABOR USED

Dump Cars and an "Electric Horse" Used at Tavern—Theater Nearly Done.

Work on the three new buildings in town is now progressing rapidly. G. D. Crist, who has the contract for wrecking the old building at Eighth street and Broadway, formerly occupied by Gillaspie's Drug Store and Palmer & Johnson's Hardware Store, now has ten men, all local labor, at work tearing down the building. Thirty days were allowed for the wrecking work, but it is probable that it will be completed in much less time. Immediately after the wrecking, excavations will begin for the new Boone County National Bank building.

New Ideas Used at Tavern.

The excavation for the Daniel Boone Tavern has been in progress about a week. The time of finishing it will depend largely on weather conditions, but it is probable that the work on the foundations can be started in three weeks. The L. W. Dumas Construction Company has charge of the work and has six men and ten teams employed.

The features of this work are the "electric horse" and the dump cars used instead of shovels. The dump cars are run down on a track into a pit below the level of the floor and are filled by men and teams who drag the dirt across the trap door which covers the pit. When the dump cars are filled, they are drawn up the track by a motor, called an "electric horse," to a platform, where they are dumped into wagons beneath. This means of removing the dirt saves a great deal of time and labor.

Hall Theater Near Completion.

The Hall Theater building is now nearing completion. The balcony is being finished, and it is thought that the chairs will be here by tomorrow. The work on the floors has been held back by the delay in the heating apparatus, which is now being installed.

The heating and cooling system is being installed at a cost of \$6,000 and is said to be the only one of its kind in the state outside of St. Louis and Kansas City. A large fan in the basement will force fresh air into the building and another in the roof at the front will expel the foul air. The heating company gives a guarantee with the system to heat the air in the room to a temperature of 70 degrees when the air outside has a temperature of 10 and to change the air in the building five times an hour.

"The arrangement of the seats is being emphasized," said O. B. Wilson, who has charge of the work, today. "I don't think there will be a seat in the house from which a person can see better than from any other."

TO ENTERTAIN R. R. OFFICIALS

Commercial Club Plans Motor Trip and Smoker for Visitors.

The Commercial Club has made arrangements to entertain several of the M. K. & T. Railway officials, who will be in Columbia tomorrow afternoon. The officials will arrive at 1 o'clock and will depart about 4 o'clock.

Secretary C. O. Hanes says that ten or twelve automobiles will be needed to take the visitors on an automobile trip through the city and the surrounding territory. Mr. Hanes plans to have two or three Columbia men in each car, to point out the things of interest.

The visiting officials will then be brought to the Commercial Club rooms, where a smoker will be held. All Columbia business men are requested to attend this smoker and meet the railway officials.

L. R. Sack Represents Exposition.

Leo R. Sack, a student in the School of Journalism in 1907, '08 and '09, was present at the signing of the official recognition by President Wilson of the Texas Bi-Centennial and Pan-American Exposition in San Antonio in 1918 in the capacity of Washington representative of the exposition. Mr. Sack left the School of Journalism to do newspaper work in Texarkana, Ark., and from there went to San Antonio.

NINE PAROLES ARE CONTINUED

Cases Will Come Up Tomorrow on Injunctions Against Liquor.

Nine parole cases came up before Judge David H. Harris this morning, the second day of the June term of the Circuit Court. Proof of good conduct was shown in writing, and the paroles were continued. Roton Cornelison, who is suffering from tuberculosis, showed proof of good conduct and was discharged.

In the case of G. H. Moore against Robinson Cook, the defendant withdrew the demurrer. A. G. Spencer, trustee for the E. C. Clinkscales estate, filed his annual statement. The case of D. S. Nichols against the Farmers' Town Mutual Fire Insurance Company was dismissed by the plaintiff. The case of the state against Harry Sherman was reset for next Tuesday.

The court adjourned at 10:30 o'clock this morning until tomorrow morning, when the seven cases to make permanent the injunction restraining the railroads and express companies from delivering shipments of liquor in Boone County will be decided.

The Faculty Union of the University was granted yesterday a decree of incorporation. Ora Lewis, a negro, charged with rape pleaded guilty and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. A resolution on the death of Senator C. J. Walker was presented, yesterday afternoon to the court, which adjourned in his honor.

DRUG STORE ROBBED

\$50 Worth of Morphine Tablets and Change Taken From Peck's.

The store of the Peck Drug Company, 804 Broadway, was broken into about 10:30 o'clock last night and a quantity of morphine tablets, a small amount of change taken. The robbery was discovered by R. E. Theobald, an employe of the store, when he opened the store at 7 o'clock this morning.

The thieves first tried to gain an entrance through the basement of the S. H. Levy shoe store. Entrance was made through a basement door. They then tried to tunnel through the stone wall of the basement, but were unsuccessful.

After the futile attempt to gain access through the basement, the robbers went to the rear of the drug store and, after cutting out the screen in the door, broke the glass in the door and entered.

The morphine, which was worth about \$50, was found in a morocco physician's case and in a small glass case. The morocco case, which contained a number of tubes of morphine, was taken and the glass case, containing a bottle of 500 tablets, was opened with what is thought to be a master's key as the lock was not tampered with.

Small change, amounting to about \$1.50, was also taken from the till.

The breaking of glass was heard by the night force of the Western Union Telegraph Company in their office on South Eighth street about 10:30 p. m. but nothing was thought of it at the time.

The Columbia police were notified the first thing this morning and are now investigating the robbery. No suspects have as yet been arrested. The U. S. Secret Service headquarters in St. Louis were notified and it is expected that a secret service man will be sent here.

The case is similar to several that have been brought to the attention of the Government lately and much effort is being exerted toward securing prosecutions.

KANSAS CITY SAYS, "PREPARE"

Parade Is Held for Adequate Armament—Postponed Once.

By United Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 20.—Seventy bands marched today in the preparedness parade here. One band was provided for every 500 members. It required several hours for the parade to pass the reviewing stand.

Original plans called for the parade Memorial Day as a part of the reception of Colonel Roosevelt, but it was postponed after the cry of "politics" had been raised.

W. C. Biting to Speak Tonight.

The Rev. W. C. Biting of St. Louis, who spoke at the University Assembly this morning, will address the Y. M. C. A. Forum at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium at 7 o'clock tonight on "The Pervading Influence of Religion."

COMPANY GAINS MEN; TO LEAVE TOMORROW

Orders Are Received Directing Movement of Local Machine Gun Unit.

TO CAMP AT NEVADA

Enlistment Picks Up, Total Today Being 62—Must Reach Minimum of 65.

MASS MEETING TONIGHT

Mayor J. M. Batterton and the Commercial Club have called a special war mass meeting for 7:30 o'clock tonight at the courthouse. The meeting will be in honor of the local machine gun company, which will leave for Nevada, Mo., tomorrow. Everyone is urged to attend.

Lieutenant E. E. Major received orders this afternoon from Colonel John D. McNeely at St. Joseph to proceed with his company to Nevada, Mo., tomorrow night.

Mayor J. M. Batterton has signed a call for a mass meeting at the courthouse tonight to honor the young men going to the front.

Lieutenant Major said this afternoon that the Machine Gun Company would probably stay at Nevada for two or three weeks. The National Guard of Missouri holds its annual encampment at Nevada at the Government rifle range, three miles southeast of the city. The rifle range consists of 300 acres and is used for drills and target practice. The tents for the Columbia Company have already been put up.

Word was received from First Sergeant H. B. Gibson today that he will be here tomorrow to join the company. Sergeant Gibson has been the acting commandant of the University Cadet Corps. Theodore M. Cornell, a captain of the cadet corps, will come with Sergeant Gibson and probably will join the Machine Gun Company. Henry Holborn, a photographer, today offered to make a picture of each member of the company free. The pictures will be taken today and tomorrow.

Lieutenant Major is attempting to increase the enlistment to sixty-five by tomorrow night. The following men have enlisted, making the total membership of the company 62:

Albert F. Fletcher, manager of the Columbia branch of the Dorn-Cloney Laundry; Frank W. Ketchum, an automobile mechanic; Oran McDonald, a tinner living in St. Louis; Lewis Wyatt, a resident of Columbia; Walter J. Stoessel, a student from St. Louis; Archibald Breckenridge, Huntsville; Alfred T. Rosegren; William M. Griffiths; Earl Harris, a shoe worker in Columbia; Oral J. Dumas and Floyd F. Roberts.

MISS DEEDIE ROBARDS BURIED

Funeral Services Are Conducted Today by the Rev. T. W. Young.

The funeral of Miss Deedie Robards was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her nephew, W. R. Clark, on Clark lane. The services were conducted by the Rev. T. W. Young of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in the Columbia Cemetery. The pallbearers were Emmett Maxwell, E. H. Guitar, James Clark, Judge W. T. Johnson, E. C. Clinkscales and J. W. Hickam.

Miss Robards was born in Columbia February 29, 1848. She was the daughter of the late William Alvin Robards, attorney-general of Missouri in 1851.

Except for fourteen years spent at Nevada, Mo., Miss Robards lived her entire life in Columbia. After returning from Nevada, she and her mother lived on Ash street.

Miss Robards was a member of the Episcopal Church. She is survived by one brother, Edmund R. Robards of St. Louis.

Bankers Freed for Service.

The directors of the Boone County National Bank have passed resolutions that J. Sidney Rollins, a director, and James R. Lipscomb, teller, who have been called away from their positions by the mobilization of the National Guard, shall be released on leave of absence until they are able to return. Their salaries will continue for three months from this date. Their positions will be open to them when they return.

CHURCH AND SCHOOL MUST MIX, HE SAYS

The Rev. W. C. Biting Talks at University Summer Session Assembly.

TELLS OF EDUCATION

Thinks Reality, Trust, Openness and Social Life Are Necessary.

"Religion and education are not mutually exclusive. They are like the streams which mingle in a great river," said the Rev. W. C. Biting of the Second Baptist Church of St. Louis in an address at the University assembly this morning. He then took up the four necessary elements of modern education, showing that they are all essentially Christian.

The first is a passion for reality. Education today accepts no authority except absolute reality. Modern religion, as well as education, encourages investigation.

In the second place, education now demands that we trust ourselves to get reality and trains us to get it. It teaches us to inquire into methods of study, not to be satisfied with learning the results.

"A library," said Mr. Biting, "is a grocery of canned goods. One original idea is worth a shelf-full of the ideas of the past." The results of scientific experiment are God's messages to man.

The third requirement of education is an open mind. Facts are sacred. Mr. Biting called dogmatism an unpardonable sin. He spoke of the punctuation of modern intellectual—the comma to indicate a pause for breath, the semicolon to classify, but no period at all. Where there is a period the man has quit; he cannot have finished.

Finally, an educated man must give the proper emphasis to social obligations. The church also demands this, the speaker held.

"The church must make room for the educated man, but it cannot do so without his help," Mr. Biting said. "The educated Christian is the key to the whole world."

WOMEN WILL HAVE A CLUBROOM

M. U. to Open Lower Floor of Read Hall for the Summer.

A women's clubroom is the latest addition to the equipment for the Summer Session student. Miss Eva Johnson, adviser of women, and Prof. J. D. Eliff have arranged for the opening of the lower floor of Read Hall, the girls' dormitory on Hitt street, from 9 a. m. until 10 p. m. daily for the use of all university women.

The rooms may be used for reading, rest, conversation, committee meetings—in fact, all the uses to which a clubroom might be put.

The management of the Summer Session will give a reception for students in the Summer Session, both men and women, at 8 o'clock Saturday night in Read Hall. The reception is planned as a "get-together" meeting for members of the faculty as well as summer students.

TWO NEW INSTRUCTORS FOR C. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wills of Columbia University to Teach Here.

Christian College will have two new members on its faculty for next year, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wills, both graduates of Columbia University New York City.

Mr. Wills will have the chair of English and American history and philosophy, and Mrs. Wills will teach all the high school English. Mr. Wills is a graduate of Union Theological Seminary, New York City. He is now working on his M. A. degree in sociology, which he is taking under Dr. F. H. Tenny and Dr. Alvin A. Tenny of Columbia University.

Mr. Wills is the representative of Christian College in Missouri, Kansas and Illinois for the summer. Mrs. Wills plans to come to Columbia in August. She is at present in New York working on the thesis for her M. A. degree in Comparative Literature.

Hallsville Girl Weds Music Teacher.

The Rev. M. C. Hutchison, pastor of the Christian Church at Fulton, went today from Columbia to Hallsville, where he married Elbert V. Davies, head of the music department at William Woods College, Fulton, and Miss Imogene Hulet of Hallsville at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Baptist Church.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Probably showers and thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature. Fresh winds.

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Weather Conditions.

The precipitation of the last twenty-four hours has continued to fall in a comparatively narrow belt, about 300 miles wide, across the country from ocean to ocean, crossing the plains by way of Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri; it crossed the Mississippi to Tennessee, and from there it forks extending northeast to New England, and southeast to Florida; the heaviest falls, exceeding one inch, occurred in Kansas and Western Missouri. Mostly fair skies prevail on the north and south sides of this rainfall.

East of the Rocky Mountains temperatures have not changed materially, and continue below the seasonal average. The weather is cooler in the Rocky Mountain states, with frosts in Colorado, Nevada and Idaho.

In Columbia the weather will continue more or less unsettled during the next thirty-six hours, probably with showers and thunderstorms.

Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 88, and the lowest last night was 62; precipitation, .15; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 74 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 78, and the lowest 62; precipitation, .02.

The Almanac.

Sun rises today, 4:33 a. m. Sun sets, 7:28 p. m.

Moon rises 11:15 p. m.

The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.64	11 a. m.74
8 a. m.64	12 m.77
9 a. m.67	1 p. m.81
10 a. m.71	2 p. m.83

TREE QUESTION IS UP

Committee of City Council Hears Complaints of Citizens This Afternoon.

Acting on the petition signed by the residents of Bridge Terrace, a committee from the City Council held an open meeting at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon to discuss the proposition of the way the city has been trimming shade trees in residence districts in order to string the electric light wires. The committee consists of Councilmen Kellogg, McDonnell and Shaw.

F. A. Sampson first addressed the meeting in behalf of the property owners. Mr. Sampson pointed out two points in law which, he said, would decide the question: first, that any tree on a person's property is a part of the realty; second, that a person's property cannot be taken from him without due process of law. The remedy he suggested was for the light wires to be strung in alleys.

ANOTHER DINNER APPROPRIATED

Two Chickens and Tomatoes Stolen From Miss Fannie Saunders.

Miss Amanda Brown was not the only one who unwillingly gave thieves a big Sunday dinner. Miss Fannie Saunders, 704 Maryland place, on Sunday morning looked into the ice-box and found missing two chickens and a basket of tomatoes.

Fortunately for Miss Saunders—and for her boarders, too—Miss Maud Wilson, who lives at Miss Saunders', had heard noises on Saturday night and had turned on the back porch light. The intruders, not being as brave as they were greedy, left with what they had.

COLUMBIANS QUALIFY IN GOLF

Local Players Are Still in Running in Kansas City Tournament.

In the qualifying round of the State Golf Tournament, which started in Kansas City yesterday morning, three members of the University Golf Club of Columbia qualified. O. M. Barnett made a 90, W. G. Manly a 93 and Dr. R. M. Burgess a 98. The tournament started in a drizzling rain, which kept up during the afternoon.

In the qualifying scores for women, Mrs. Grace Lindsay of Columbia qualified with 151. The low mark for the men was 79; for the women, 99.

E. B. CAUTHORN TO ADDRESS CLUB

Merchants Will Hear High School Principal Who Will Go to Texas.

E. B. Cauthorn, former principal of the Columbia High School and recently elected principal of the Forest Avenue High School of Dallas, Tex., will be the chief speaker at the Commercial Club luncheon Thursday. The luncheon will be at Harris'.

Mr. Cauthorn has not announced his subject yet. He will leave Friday for Dallas. At one time he was secretary of the Commercial Club.

City Council Will Meet.

The City Council will meet at the City Hall tonight. This will be a continued adjournment meeting from the session of last Friday night.

Next Sunday's Services Planned.

Union services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening. The Rev. T. W. Young will speak.

CARRANZA IS WARNED NOT TO MOLEST U.S.

Threatened With the Gravest Consequences If He Attacks American Troops.

NEW NOTE IS BLUNT

Says This Government Will Not Recede and Will Prevent More Raids.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The United States threatened General Carranza with the gravest consequences if his forces attack the American soldiers in Mexico. The threat, which is contained in a long note replying to Carranza's request for the withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico, was a flat refusal to the request.

The note is filled with short-arm diplomatic jabs. It excoriates Carranza for his failure to co-operate with the American forces, resents his brusqueness and intimates bad faith. It bluntly tells him that this Government will not recede from its settled determination to maintain its national rights to prevent further border raids.

Pessimism prevailed in official circles this afternoon over the Mexican situation. Even those who thought that the call for the militia might make Carranza recede have given up hope.

FUNSTON ORDERS 50,000 HORSES

It Is Thought 65,000 Militiamen Will Be Sent to the Border.

By United Press.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 20.—General Funston this afternoon ordered the department quartermasters to get 50,000 horses and mules for the guardsmen.

As to what number of militiamen were coming directly to the border, General Funston would not say. The number is generally thought to be 65,000. No intimation has been made as to which state troops will be called to the border first.

MEXICAN CITIES SHOW HATRED

Two Hold Anti-U. S. Demonstrations—Americans Prepare to Leave.

By United Press.

EL PASO, June 20.—Reports this afternoon from the interior of Mexico said that there have been anti-American demonstrations at both Saltillo and Mexico City.

Consul Rogers, stationed at Mexico City, has obtained a special train to carry the Americans to the border.

ALL-STARS ARE READY TO PLAY

Last Year's Summer Session Champions Reorganized for Summer.

The All-Stars, one of the teams which will compete for the baseball championship of the Summer Session, has been organized and is taking the field daily in practice. The team is made up of baseball players of the regular session who are here this summer. This team won the championship last summer from the clubs organized from the normal schools.

Russell ("Dick") Richards is the captain of the All-Stars. He also plays second base and has the lead-off position in the batting order. Other members of the team and their positions are: Rutledge, cf; Peoples, c; Barclay, 1b; Huston, 3b; McBride, p; Loomis, ss; Crane, rf; Van Dyne, lf. The substitutes are Schultzen, Fawcett, Buckley, Joslyn and Minton.

ELMER L. BRECKNER WEDS

Miss Vaughan of Pullman, Wash., Bride of 1912-'13 Student President.

Elmer L. Breckner, who received his A. B. and B. S. from the University in 1913, was married June 14 at Pullman, Wash., to Miss Sadie Eugenia Vaughan, daughter of Mrs. Myra E. Vaughan of Pullman. Mr. Breckner, whose home is at Sedan, Mo., was student president in 1912-13. Mr. and Mrs. Breckner will make their home at Wallace, Idaho.

Called to Join Company.

D. E. Mothershead, a student in the Summer Session, left this afternoon for his home at Weston, where he has been superintendent of schools. The company of the National Guard of which Mr. Mothershead is a member has been called out.